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James Klahr

Executive Director

January 30, 2015

Jennifer Florida
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MEC No. 14-0007-I

Dear Ms. Florida:

The Missouri Ethics Commission considered the complaint filed against you at its January 28, 2015 meeting. The complaint alleged you expended public funds to support your candidacy for St. Louis City Recorder of Deeds in the November 2014 election when you utilized the city's office and its employees while serving as the appointed St. Louis City Recorder of Deeds.

Staff review of this complaint determined that you did not expend public funds to support your candidacy or oppose Ms. Carpenter's candidacy. While there is evidence that you posted a report relating to conduct by the previous Recorder of Deeds produced by the St. Louis City Counselor's office on the Recorder of Deeds website and sent out a job posting for Records Manager position, both of these actions appear to be directly related to your duties as the appointed Recorder of Deeds for St. Louis City.

From the facts presented, the Commission found no reasonable grounds exist to support a violation of Chapter 115, RSMo, and is dismissing the complaint.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James Klahr", is positioned above the printed name.

James Klahr

Executive Director